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Dear Examiner Muhebbullah:

In response to the non-final office action mailed August 25, 2005, we enclose the following:

- Amendment Transmittal with Certificate of Facsimile Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8(a) dated December 23, 2005 (2 pages);
- Petition and Fee for Extension of Time with Certificate of Facsimile Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8(a) dated December 23, 2005 (2 pages);
- 3) Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$135.00 (1 page); and
- Amendment A with Certificate of Facsimile Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8(a) dated December 23, 2005 (15 pages).

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

Applicants are an independent inventors.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that an extension of term is required. Petition and Fee for Extension of Time is attached hereto.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

(37 C.F.R. 1.8 (a))

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Amendment A, including Amendments to the Claims and Remarks, is being transmitted by facsimile to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Atm: Sajeda Muhebbullah, Art Unit 2174, (571) 273-8300, on December 23, 2005.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below: 4.

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Addit. Fee

An additional fee for claims is required. Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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